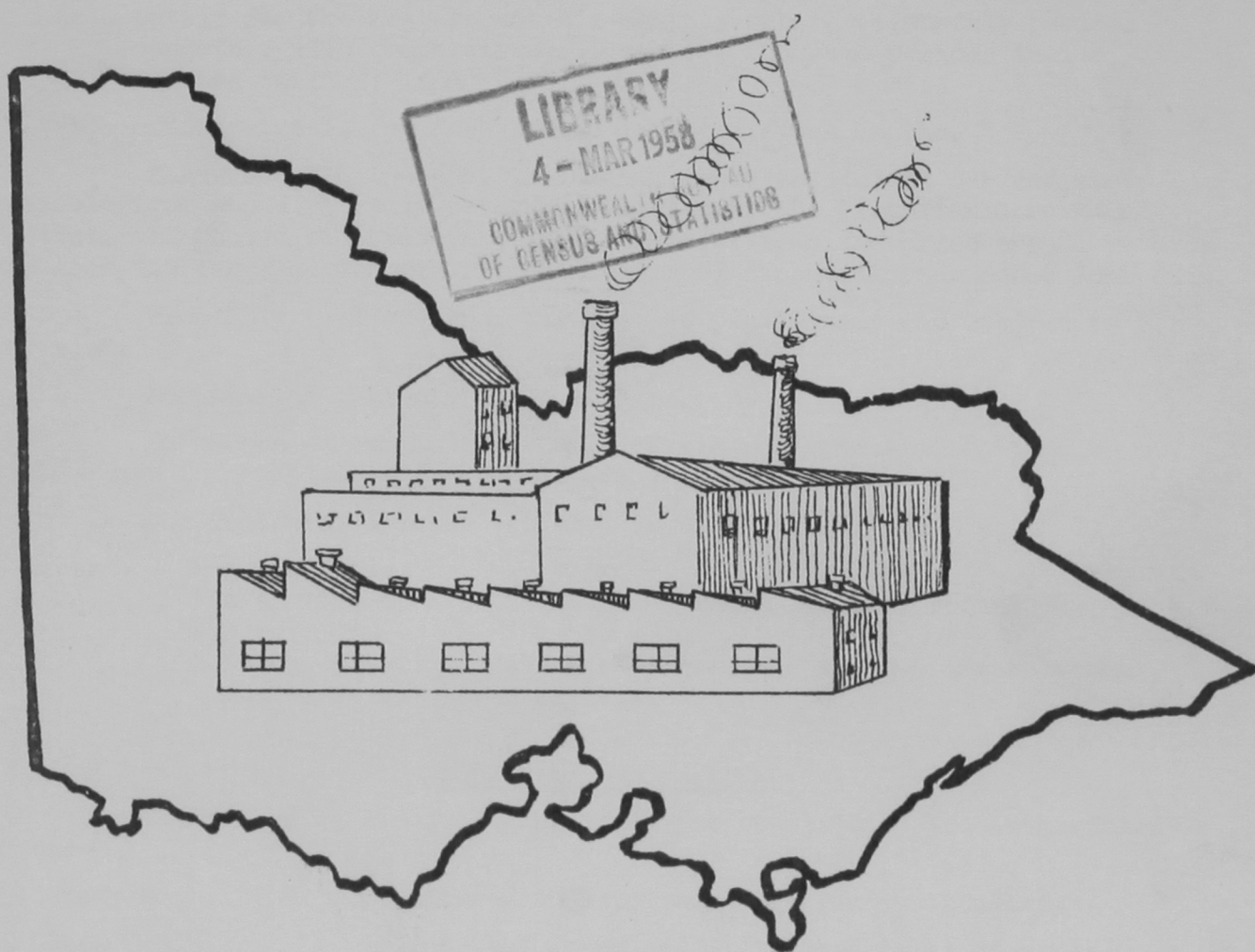


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Annual totals for 1938-39, 1948-49 and the last three financial years are shown in conjunction with:-

- (a) totals for the most recent six-monthly and three-monthly periods together with comparative figures for the same periods twelve months earlier; and
- (b) monthly totals for each of the latest fifteen months.

Figures up to 1955-56, inclusive, represent totals derived where possible from annual factory returns collected by the Victorian Government Statist. It should be noted that in the case of some factories annual returns are accepted for a period other than the normal financial year ended June 30th.

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Black Coal	Joint Coal Board and State Department of Mines.
Gold	State Department of Mines.
Beer	Commonwealth Department of Customs and Excise.
Tobacco, Cigars and Cigarettes	
Sawn Native Timber	Forests Commission of Victoria.

Details of other items are collected by the Commonwealth Statistician or by the Victorian Government Statist.

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Period	FUEL			HEAT, LIGHT & POWER		Gold (Mine Production)	Sawn Native Timber
	Black Coal	Brown Coal	Briqu- ettes	Elec- tricity	Gas		
	'000 tons	'000 tons	'000 tons	Mill. kwh.	Mill. cu.ft.	'000 fine oz.	Mill. sup.ft.
Year : 1938-39 ...	336.1	3,663	399.9	1,223	7,130	148.48	120.2
1948-49 ...	140.1	7,027	558.9	2,504	12,103	66.47	281.9
1954-55 ...	144.3	9,668	630.5	4,151	14,290	43.62	355.7
1955-56 ...	119.9	10,381	633.9	4,647	14,461	36.35	351.3
1956-57 ...	121.3	10,781	618.0	4,991	15,725	47.72	335.4
Latest 6 Mths., 1957	63.0	5,409	298.1	2,669	9,219	24.23	180.9
Same 6 Mths., 1956	68.2	5,445	296.4	2,559	8,243	23.74	169.5
Latest 3 Mths., 1957	32.0	2,544	141.2	1,239	4,102	12.08	89.7
Same 3 Mths., 1956	35.2	2,564	140.6	1,195	3,773	13.65	84.4
Month, 1956 October	12.8	951	55.9	432	1,361	3.74	29.1
November	11.2	890	52.2	401	1,266	5.59	28.0
December	7.7	723	32.5	362	1,146	4.32	22.3
1957 January	8.4	833	53.4	363	1,056	2.26	21.3
February	9.4	838	54.0	365	1,006	3.84	29.7
March	10.0	894	54.8	404	1,183	4.61	30.2
April	6.5	888	53.8	394	1,221	5.06	26.6
May ...	11.3	967	52.8	468	1,532	4.71	33.3
June ...	9.5	916	52.8	440	1,484	3.49	29.2
July ...	11.4	986	51.4	512	1,771	4.70	30.8
August	10.1	972	50.8	481	1,697	3.70	31.2
September	10.3	907	54.7	437	1,649	3.75	29.4
October	11.4	917	53.8	448	1,519	4.89	30.9
November	10.3	r 877	56.0	413	1,345	3.45	29.4
December		750	31.4	378	1,238	3.74	

Period	BUILDING MATERIALS				BUILDING FITTINGS		
	Clay Bricks	Fibrous Plaster Sheets	Roofing Tiles		Bath Heaters		
	Mill.	'000 sq.yds.	Mill.	Mill.	Solid Fuel No.	Gas No.	Elec- tric No.
Year : 1938-39 ...	197.2	3,275	3.03	13.74	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1948-49 ...	153.1	6,116	15.48	10.98	6,271	5,498	1,946
1954-55 ...	209.2	7,343	21.16	14.94	6,207	8,312	2,675
1955-56 ...	225.5	8,069	23.84	15.37	8,849	8,654	2,558
1956-57 ...	209.8	7,093	18.97	15.00	8,419	7,099	2,226
Latest 6 Mths., 1957	119.6	3,635	9.31	7.70	3,679	3,637	1,034
Same 6 Mths., 1956	106.4	3,722	9.87	8.03	4,483	3,900	1,252
Latest 3 Mths., 1957	59.6	1,783	4.52	3.73	1,486	1,679	489
Same 3 Mths., 1956	51.2	1,733	4.55	3.82	2,047	2,106	571
Month, 1956 October	18.3	664	1.82	1.48	892	755	233
November	18.6	606	1.62	1.37	678	655	151
December	14.3	463	1.11	0.97	477	696	187
1957 January	13.2	456	1.19	0.88	855	355	211
February	17.2	584	1.57	1.18	536	532	182
March	18.2	584	1.63	1.19	629	675	150
April	16.6	559	1.45	1.16	560	475	156
May ...	20.4	624	1.76	1.42	780	655	108
June ...	17.8	564	1.49	1.15	576	509	167
July ...	19.7	621	1.69	1.36	1,009	676	203
August	20.9	620	1.66	1.38	826	671	215
September	19.4	611	1.44	1.23	358	611	127
October	21.9	680	1.66	1.42	376	656	183
November	20.9	629	1.62	1.36	793	553	136
December	16.8	474	1.24	0.95	317	470	170

P e r i o d	BUILDING FITTINGS					
	Sink Heaters, Electric	Coppers		Sinks, Stainless Steel	Stoves	
		Gas	Electric		Solid Fuel	Gas
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Year : 1938-39 ...	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	17,266	23,846
1948-49 ...	3,176	4,309	4,552	48,099	10,967	17,517
1954-55 ...	4,484	8,020	3,488	99,400	13,635	12,972
1955-56 ...	5,491	8,562	3,784	86,723	15,590	20,706
1956-57 ...	3,965	7,805	2,887	80,645	20,349	24,462
Latest 6 Months 1957	2,641	3,147	1,511	46,822	12,649	17,890
Same 6 Months 1956	2,386	4,325	1,446	40,467	10,013	13,316
Latest 3 Months 1957	1,383	1,631	691	25,442	5,857	8,347
Same 3 Months 1956	752	1,946	638	19,150	5,380	5,575
Month, 1956 October	333	972	263	7,522	2,167	2,259
November	232	593	201	6,685	1,796	2,063
December	187	381	174	4,943	1,417	1,253
1957 January	248	436	180	5,188	1,234	1,356
February	310	532	243	7,217	1,117	1,797
March ...	355	647	305	7,332	1,881	1,856
April ...	181	469	225	6,899	1,837	1,845
May ...	232	755	278	7,684	2,256	2,384
June ...	253	641	210	5,858	2,011	1,908
July ...	419	516	282	6,751	2,097	2,805
August .	510	503	289	6,986	2,509	3,350
September	329	497	249	7,643	2,186	3,388
October	637	704	264	9,461	2,475	3,225
November	433	538	r 231	9,190	2,172	2,705
December	313	389	196	6,791	1,210	2,417

P e r i o d	CHEMICALS		P A I N T S				
	Sulphuric Acid	Super phos- phate	Ready Mixed Paints	Enamels (Natural and Synthetic)	Lacquers (Nitro Cellu- lose)	Thinners for Lacquers	Water Paints (b)
	'000 tons	'000 tons	'000 gallons	'000 gallons	'000 gallons	'000 gallons	'000 lb.
Year : 1938-39 ...	198.5	478.2	159	63	154	204 (a)	659
1948-49 ...	232.0	595.1	1,077	415	232	333 (a)	1,032
1954-55 ...	275.1	722.9	1,772	824	334	571	10,827
1955-56 ...	296.3	760.2	2,000	1,019	359	615	8,194
1956-57 ...	268.5	642.9	1,932	1,287	363	609	7,239
Latest 6 Months 1957	(c)	326.0	1,770		225	347	Compar- able figures not av- ailable)
Same 6 Months 1956	105.0	232.1	1,623		163	277	
Latest 3 Months 1957	(c)	146.9	962		119	178	
Same 3 Months 1956	50.4	118.7	908		82	134	
Month, 1956 October	17.4	46.5	186	136.7	30.8	55.7	746
November	17.6	38.1	167	123.4	26.8	46.5	698
December	15.4	34.1	179	115.7	24.1	32.1	772
1957 January	19.1	51.3	134	84.1	26.7	42.9	513
February	28.0	68.7	199	121.0	34.7	58.3	757
March...	29.6	66.4	186	112.3	33.9	52.7	532
April ..	28.5	71.1	189	97.7	35.5	65.3	579
May ...	31.9	88.0	179	97.7	36.1	67.8	614
June ...	26.4	65.3	120	75.9	33.3	45.1	417
							'000 gallons
July ...	26.7	64.1	230		31.7	58.4	40.3
August .	28.9	68.6	259		36.6	55.7	55.1
September	19.7	46.4	319		37.9	54.5	50.9
October	(c)	41.2	322		43.7	62.2	47.9
November	24.0	50.7	342		41.1	65.9	57.8
December	22.9	55.0	298		34.0	50.0	51.9

- (a) Includes thinners for synthetic finishes and a small quantity of thinners for enamels.
 (b) Figures from July, 1954 to June, 1957, include small quantities of water paints in powder form.
 (c) Not available for publication.

Period	S O A P (a)					
	House- hold (b)	Toilet & Hand (c)	Indust- rial (d)	Extracts & Powders	Cleansers & Scourers	Other (e)
	'000 cwt.	'000 cwt.	'000 cwt.	'000 cwt.	'000 cwt.	'000 cwt.
Year : 1938-39 ...	192	18.0	(f) 17.6	123	41.7	5.3
1948-49 ...	222	51.0	36.1	249	15.8	25.8
1954-55 ...	179	42.4	44.6	454	21.9	60.2
1955-56 ...	169	58.3	45.1	373	18.9	60.0
1956-57 ...	161	52.7	47.4	364	16.8	60.9
Latest 6 Mths., 1957	(g)	30.3	25.1	(g)	9.1	34.2
Same 6 Mths., 1956	80.7	25.7	23.9	195.9	8.2	31.3
Latest 3 Mths., 1957	(g)	18.4	12.3	(g)	4.2	17.4
Same 3 Mths., 1956	43.4	12.6	10.7	96.1	4.1	16.0
Month, 1956 October	15.53	4.09	3.98	31.98	1.62	5.32
November	15.18	4.46	3.02	31.36	1.38	6.00
December	12.66	4.08	3.74	32.78	1.05	4.63
1957 January	11.72	3.91	3.79	23.81	1.11	4.47
February	16.53	4.28	3.94	30.11	1.51	4.78
March...	13.97	4.81	4.10	26.74	1.69	5.21
April...	9.31	4.88	4.23	33.97	1.28	4.91
May ...	16.53	4.73	3.63	28.28	1.66	5.23
June ...	12.76	4.32	3.85	25.51	1.29	4.94
July ...	16.02	5.93	5.07	26.18	1.69	5.47
August	14.90	3.84	4.94	27.27	1.69	5.43
September	11.42	2.13	2.81	21.35	1.55	5.88
October	(g)	r 5.73	r 4.81	(g)	1.56	6.37
November	15.62	7.37	3.87	35.38	1.37	5.61
December	12.16	5.33	3.58	24.67	1.24	5.46

Period	DOMESTIC ELECTRIC APPLIANCES					Domestic Refrig- erators
	Clothes Washing Machines	Hot Water Jugs	Irons (Hand)	Toasters	Radiators & Electric Fires (h)	
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
Year : 1938-39 ...	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	(g)
1948-49 ...	n.a.	61.02	87.71	n.a.	68.06	16.28
1954-55 ...	15.62	117.08	69.63	80.90	141.46	42.57
1955-56 ...	18.50	101.77	42.59	80.88	170.47	28.10
1956-57 ...	23.33	100.57	31.58	(g)	159.86	21.79
Latest 6 Mths., 1957	12.27	52.46	13.02	(g)	39.55	21.27
Same 6 Mths., 1956	(g)	48.51	(g)	(g)	34.73	(g)
Latest 3 Mths., 1957	5.48	27.91	7.33	(g)	9.67	13.33
Same 3 Mths., 1956	(g)	27.98	9.39	19.99	11.50	(g)
Month, 1956 October	(g)	9.98	4.61	5.08	4.56	(g)
November	2.18	11.14	3.45	7.29	3.93	2.50
December	1.40	6.86	1.33	7.62	3.01	2.35
1957 January	1.43	7.12	(g)	(g)	9.09	1.76
February	2.08	8.50	(g)	(g)	10.82	2.16
March...	2.36	8.85	2.19	4.99	18.30	2.42
April...	2.75	8.85	(g)	(g)	30.29	1.53
May ...	3.26	9.75	(g)	(g)	32.54	(g)
June ...	1.98	9.01	2.44	4.21	24.10	(g)
July ...	2.47	6.43	1.18	(g)	11.42	1.32
August	2.36	9.05	2.04	(g)	10.14	2.35
September	1.96	9.07	2.47	7.76	8.32	4.27
October	2.08	8.85	3.06	(g)	1.91	4.95
November	1.83	10.08	2.62	9.29	3.55	4.83
December	1.57	8.98	1.65	5.73	4.21	3.55

(a) With active constituents of soap only
or mixtures of soap and alkali.

(b) Includes Laundry Flakes and Chips.

(c) Includes Shaving Soap and Shampoo.

(d) Includes Industrial Flakes and Chips.

(e) Includes Soft and Liquid Soap.

(f) Woolscouring Soap only.

(g) Not available for publication.

(h) From July 1956, includes
Convection Type.

Period	Radios & Radio- grams (a)	Cabinets for Radios & Radiograms	Cabinets for Television Sets	Gramo- phone Records	Motor Bodies Made or Assembled	
					For Cars	For Commercial Vehicles (d)
	No.	No.	No.	'000	No.	No.
Year 1938-39 ...	30,572	n.a.	..	n.a.	27,406	
1948-49 ...	78,583	47,424	..	n.a.	27,670	
1954-55 ...	116,114	74,939	..	1,850	66,056	
1955-56 ...	132,662	(b)83,338	(c)	1,757	63,666	19,457
1956-57 ...	86,107	57,002	34,461	1,633	50,008	13,209
Latest 6 Mths., 1957	58,355	(e)	34,846	667.9	34,908	9,746
Same 6 Mths., 1956	52,867	36,498	14,240	900.0	22,142	6,419
Latest 3 Mths., 1957	36,603	(e)	14,687	312.2	18,011	5,118
Same 3 Mths., 1956	27,034	20,266	9,622	430.2	11,771	2,994
Month, 1956 October	9,047	6,328	2,137	168.5	4,144	1,123
November	10,034	7,753	3,969	141.8	4,387	1,083
December	7,953	6,185	3,516	119.9	3,240	788
1957 January	3,358	2,186	2,691	122.4	3,545	774
February	5,299	3,717	2,287	107.2	4,806	1,054
March	5,607	3,455	3,381	116.1	4,819	1,102
April	5,781	3,585	3,152	111.6	4,222	1,132
May ...	7,458	5,137	4,589	157.4	5,576	1,437
June...	5,737	2,424	4,121	118.2	4,898	1,291
July...	6,585	3,942	6,332	135.6	5,724	1,398
August	7,771	5,104	7,005	113.2	5,388	1,586
September	7,396	3,991	6,822	106.9	5,785	1,644
October	14,370	(e)	7,498	99.3	6,654	1,918
November	11,191	6,885	4,407	115.1	6,592	1,830
December	11,042	6,042	2,782	97.8	4,765	1,370

ELECTRIC MOTORS

Period	Under 1 H.P.	1 H.P. & under 2½ H.P.	2½ H.P. & under 5 H.P.	5 H.P. & under 10 H.P.	10 H.P. and over
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Year 1938-39 ...	(e)				
1948-49 ...	44,743	7,612	2,272	3,476	374
1954-55 ...	151,483	9,226	4,414	2,253	703
1955-56 ...	156,878	10,463	4,217	2,837	918
1956-57 ...	169,747	8,918	4,199	2,703	923
Latest 6 Mths., 1957	95,614	4,880	2,350	1,641	726
Same 6 Mths., 1956	86,722	5,224	2,287	1,391	438
Latest 3 Mths., 1957	49,926	2,715	1,283	849	423
Same 3 Mths., 1956	44,932	1,856	1,035	847	204
Month, 1956 October	17,003	480	448	291	68
November	16,224	890	288	293	79
December	11,705	486	299	263	57
1957 January	10,208	575	258	91	54
February	15,093	346	479	276	90
March	13,418	841	182	314	63
April	13,591	628	294	262	73
May ...	17,065	787	309	296	118
June...	13,650	517	390	73	87
July...	14,201	779	421	424	108
August	15,365	811	272	133	81
September	16,122	575	374	235	114
October	17,797	881	461	411	151
November	15,859	1,030	512	253	158
December	16,270	804	310	185	114

- (a) Figures from 1953-54 onwards include a small number of radio tape recorders.
 (b) Includes Cabinets for Television Sets.
 (c) Included in Cabinets for Radio & Radiograms.
 (d) Excludes Truck Cabs and Trailers
 (e) Not available for publication.

Period	Pedal Cycles	Peram- bulat- ors	M A T T R E S S E S			Cotton Sewing Thread (b)
			Woven Wire	Inner Spring	Other	
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000 lb.
Year : 1938-39	30.97	21.09	86.82(a)	7.7	n.a.	n.a.
1948-49	31.62	49.32	55.77(a)	47.2	118.7	n.a.
1954-55	32.96	55.96	116.71	152.2	114.6	882
1955-56	33.59	56.98	117.22	158.8	104.2	789
1956-57	24.32	48.83	113.35	154.8	104.2	872
Latest 6 Mths., 1957 ...	15.32	28.52	58.94	85.2	58.55	430
Same 6 Mths., 1956 ...	14.29	26.02	58.26	78.7	52.38	424
Latest 3 Mths., 1957 ...	10.24	15.28	31.04	45.4	34.43	204
Same 3 Mths., 1956 ...	8.41	13.14	31.79	41.2	30.04	210
Month, 1956 October ...	2.28	5.02	10.38	14.2	9.09	78.9
November ...	2.49	4.28	11.47	14.1	10.12	75.5
December ...	3.64	3.84	9.94	12.9	10.83	55.2
1957 January ...	1.68	2.98	7.25	9.7	6.35	50.3
February ...	2.09	4.73	10.11	13.3	10.44	74.3
March ...	2.06	4.43	10.66	13.5	9.33	89.0
April ...	1.70	4.06	9.39	13.6	8.68	76.5
May ...	1.42	3.54	10.08	15.0	9.54	89.5
June ...	1.07	3.07	7.60	11.0	7.49	67.7
July ...	1.30	3.70	8.95	15.2	7.38	83.9
August ...	1.80	4.97	9.69	12.9	7.76	69.8
September ...	1.98	4.57	9.26	11.7	8.98	72.6
October ...	2.96	5.59	9.95	14.7	10.36	73.7
November ...	r 3.12	5.28	10.38	14.7	11.24	79.0
December ...	4.16	4.41	10.71	16.0	12.83	51.3

Period	COTTON TEXTILES		W O O L			
	Cotton Tweeds	Towels	Scoured or Carbonised	Tops	Yarns	
					Worsted	Woollen
	'000 sq.yds	'000 doz.	Mill.lb.	Mill.lb.	Mill.lb.	Mill.lb.
Year : 1938-39	n.a.	(c)	38.06	11.24	7.35	8.77
1948-49	826	165.7	61.84	15.87	13.64	14.23
1954-55	533	278.2	52.13	12.33	11.26	12.32
1955-56	517	305.1	55.03	15.61	11.66	12.47
1956-57	619	319.7	62.91	19.31	12.28	14.22
Latest 6 Mths., 1957 ...	292	180.5	30.68	9.12	5.60	7.75
Same 6 Mths., 1956 ...	301	159.6	29.63	9.37	6.02	7.10
Latest 3 Mths., 1957 ...	164	84.3	15.24	4.17	2.77	3.80
Same 3 Mths., 1956 ...	129	76.7	14.31	4.45	2.94	3.57
Month, 1956 October ...	52.3	28.0	4.78	1.70	1.15	1.42
November ...	46.0	27.0	5.01	1.66	1.03	1.24
December ...	30.7	21.7	4.52	1.09	0.76	0.91
1957 January ...	39.4	16.9	4.51	1.27	0.77	0.91
February ...	45.4	26.5	5.59	1.83	1.13	1.25
March ...	60.8	32.7	5.70	1.58	1.11	1.22
April ...	54.9	23.5	5.47	1.60	1.12	1.14
May ...	65.8	30.3	6.03	1.88	1.15	1.37
June ...	51.7	30.2	5.97	1.78	0.97	1.23
July ...	37.4	29.6	6.01	1.82	1.01	1.38
August ...	45.3	32.1	5.07	1.57	0.90	1.25
September ...	45.3	34.5	4.36	1.56	0.92	1.32
October ...	60.8	30.1	4.99	1.63	1.08	1.49
November ...	53.8	29.4	5.56	1.43	0.97	1.32
December ...	49.2	24.8	4.69	1.11	0.72	0.99

(a) Excludes Mattresses made and incorporated in folding beds and stretchers.

(b) Counts over 12's up to June, 1957. Thereafter counts over 18's.

(c) Not available for publication.

FIBRE PRODUCTION STATISTICS

Period	WOOLLEN TEXTILES						Other Broadwoven Cloth (Rayon & Synthetic Fibres)
	Worsted (a)		Woollen (a)		Blankets	Rugs	
	Pure	Mixture	Pure	Mixture			
	'000 sq.yds.	'000 sq.yds.	'000 sq.yds.	'000 sq.yds.	'000	'000	'000 sq.yds.
Year : 1938-39 ...		15,198			595	53.9	n.a.
1948-49 ...		21,939			879	69.1	n.a.
1954-55 ...		14,371			846	71.9	n.a.
1955-56 ...		14,435			925	68.8	n.a.
1956-57 ...	6,224	482.5	7,553	4,177	902	68.1	12,542
Latest 6 Mths., 1957	3,081	308.6	3,821	2,448	508	35.8	6,862
Same 6 Mths., 1956	3,156	261.1	3,632	1,854	447	30.5	5,673
Latest 3 Mths., 1957	1,397	161.8	1,905	1,238	242	13.2	3,419
Same 3 Mths., 1956	1,526	135.6	1,875	1,011	200	14.4	2,841
Month, 1956 October	642.9	46.74	711.9	374.3	83.2	7.71	1,092
November	526.5	42.82	650.9	372.2	65.9	4.80	998
December	356.3	46.02	512.0	265.0	51.2	1.85	751
1957 January	395.6	25.93	571.5	300.4	57.1	2.43	741
February	526.8	35.42	728.3	365.7	73.3	4.95	1,110
March	518.6	33.30	675.6	405.6	81.4	4.57	1,403
April	509.7	35.58	627.4	384.0	78.1	5.99	1,037
May ...	582.7	44.05	691.0	470.9	80.9	10.74	1,306
June...	534.5	47.12	626.7	395.9	84.2	8.94	1,271
July...	582.9	49.47	677.1	422.2	95.1	8.13	1,250
August	547.9	50.23	619.9	360.7	83.3	6.92	1,011
September	r 552.7	r 47.11	618.3	427.2	r 87.8	r 7.57	1,182
October	566.8	55.54	744.0	437.3	99.9	6.16	r 1,471
November	494.3	61.47	663.8	454.8	84.1	4.29	1,166
December	336.0	44.76	497.6	345.9	58.1	2.77	782
Period	UNDERWEAR			FOUNDATION GARMENTS			Bathing Suits and Trunks
	Men's and Boys'	Women's and Girls'	Infants' & Baby- wear	Corsets	Corse- lets	Brass- ieres	
	'000 doz.	'000 doz.	'000 doz.	'000 doz.	'000 doz.	'000 doz.	
Year : 1938-39 ...		1,242		108.5	13.82	185.7	23.3
1948-49 ...		1,338		73.5	6.77	139.4	27.7
1954-55 ...	669	1,321	37.4	71.1	4.08	240.5	54.6
1955-56 ...	675	1,297	33.0	81.6	4.17	252.7	57.0
1956-57 ...	702	1,392	39.9	77.7	3.75	258.7	59.3
Latest 6 Mths., 1957	374	752	16.5	51.3	1.68	140.7	43.3
Same 6 Mths., 1956	371	724	21.2	43.2	1.76	132.8	38.7
Latest 3 Mths., 1957	187	380	7.2	27.5	0.65	71.4	21.5
Same 3 Mths., 1956	183	366	9.8	19.5	0.71	65.0	17.8
Month, 1956 October	73.0	140.2	3.84	7.61	0.34	23.9	7.18
November	63.6	123.3	3.84	7.11	0.21	23.6	6.69
December	46.9	102.5	2.16	4.81	0.16	17.5	3.96
1957 January	41.7	84.3	2.61	4.10	0.27	15.7	1.49
February	57.9	129.5	3.57	5.78	0.29	23.6	2.51
March	59.2	119.6	3.26	6.11	0.33	22.3	2.83
April	53.8	104.7	2.98	5.03	0.29	20.0	3.86
May ...	66.4	123.6	3.57	7.10	0.41	26.0	5.14
June...	51.9	106.2	2.80	6.41	0.40	18.3	4.77
July...	62.0	124.3	2.89	7.31	0.35	22.7	6.11
August.	59.1	124.1	2.98	8.33	0.36	23.4	7.82
September	65.3	124.1	3.43	8.17	0.32	23.2	7.94
October	73.3	140.3	2.71	10.05	0.23	26.3	9.28
November	65.1	130.7	2.33	10.23	0.23	25.1	7.86
December	49.0	108.8	2.15	7.20	0.19	20.0	4.31

(a) Prior to July 1956 excludes wool in admixture with rayon.

Period	Women's, Maids' & Girls'			Men's & Boys'	Infants' & Baby Wear	Total
	Full Fashioned	Circular	Anklets			
	'000 doz.prs.	'000 doz.prs.	'000 doz.prs.	'000 doz.prs.	'000 doz.prs.	'000 doz.prs.
Year : 1938-39 ..		1,616		893	266	2,775
1948-49 ..		1,185		1,047	497	2,729
1954-55 ..	1,756	160	460	1,319	440	4,135
1955-56 ..	1,748	92	620	1,263	229	3,952

New Series - Dissection not comparable

Period	Women's			Men's	Child- ren's	Infants'	Total
	Full Fashioned	Circular	Anklets				
	'000 doz.prs.	'000 doz.prs.	'000 doz.prs.	'000 doz.prs.	'000 doz.prs.	'000 doz.prs.	'000 doz.prs.
Year : 1956-57 ..	1,845	139	201	1,211	651	82	4,129
Latest 6 Mths.,1957	799	89	118	637	314	53	1,990
Same 6 Mths.,1956	969	68	92	639	340	43	2,151
Latest 3 Mths.,1957	366	45	62	320	148	29	970
Same 3 Mths.,1956	467	32	51	310	162	20	1,042
Month, 1956 October	178	12.7	18.8	126	61.7	8.1	405
November	167	10.2	17.8	111	55.3	7.4	369
December	122	9.5	14.4	73	45.0	4.9	269
1957 January	113	8.5	13.1	65	36.8	3.9	240
February	159	11.1	19.3	98	57.7	6.2	351
March	161	10.6	20.3	105	57.9	6.1	361
April	138	12.7	17.8	99	50.8	7.1	325
May ..	160	15.0	18.6	109	57.5	8.1	368
June ..	145	13.5	19.2	97	49.7	8.3	333
July ..	149	16.6	19.8	105	55.7	9.3	355
August	144	14.2	16.4	106	55.0	7.2	343
September	120	12.3	19.4	106	56.0	6.9	321
October	137	15.6	24.2	119	55.9	10.4	362
November	129	15.2	21.9	119	53.4	9.1	348
December	100	14.6	16.1	82	38.3	9.8	261

Period	CARDIGANS, PULLOVERS, ETC.				CLOTHING-MEN'S & BOYS'		
	Men's and Youths'	Boys'	Women's and Maids'	Girls'	Infants' & Baby Wear	Shirts	Pyjama Suits
	'000 doz.	'000 doz.	'000 doz.	'000 doz.	'000 doz.	'000 doz.	'000 doz.
Year : 1938-39 ..			248.7(b)			271.0(c)	73.17
1948-49 ..			322.7			263.6	79.64
1954-55 ..	191.0		456.3		45.95	620.7	122.42
1955-56 ..	198.2		480.8		43.98	550.8	99.43
1956-57 ..	147.5	59.4	407.3	122.3	47.48	652.2	93.18
Latest 6 Mths.,1957	67.2	22.7	208.0	90.6	28.51	417.2	49.32
Same 6 Mths.,1956	72.7	28.0	178.4	61.4	18.25	387.9	37.62
Latest 3 Mths.,1957	33.5	10.7	100.9	45.1	15.10	201.9	23.34
Same 3 Mths.,1956	36.9	14.5	93.4	28.0	9.86	198.5	18.73
Month, 1956 October	14.5	5.7	33.9	12.1	3.65	84.3	7.19
November	12.8	5.3	33.2	8.1	3.26	66.6	6.24
December	9.6	3.5	26.3	7.8	2.95	47.6	5.30
1957 January	8.9	3.9	27.1	7.7	3.06	24.7	5.50
February	12.2	5.6	39.4	9.4	4.56	43.6	9.59
March	14.2	5.7	40.9	12.4	5.46	41.7	8.33
April	13.7	5.0	41.2	11.7	5.64	46.8	10.41
May ..	14.4	5.9	45.6	7.5	6.35	57.2	12.83
June ..	11.5	5.4	34.7	12.2	4.16	50.3	8.89
July ..	11.5	4.4	33.9	13.3	4.70	74.7	7.79
August	11.6	3.6	36.4	15.1	3.98	70.4	9.38
September	10.6	4.0	36.8	17.1	4.73	70.2	8.81
October	12.8	r 4.2	37.1	15.1	5.19	82.4	9.88
November	12.0	3.1	35.8	14.3	5.67	71.1	8.53
December	8.7	3.4	28.0	15.7	4.24	48.4	4.93

(a) From July 1956 the dissection has been collected on a different basis.

(b) Knitted only.

(c) Excludes knitted.

Period	MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING (CIVILIAN DAY WEAR)					
	Suits			Trousers		Shorts & Knickers - Boys'
	Men's & Youths'		Boys'- 2 Piece	Men's & Youths'		
	3 Piece	2 Piece		Sports	Work	
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
Year : 1938-39 ..	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1948-49 ..	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1954-55 ..	35.6	263	58.1	864	619	391
1955-56 ..	25.4	286	54.9	961	629	461
1956-57 ..	20.2	265	57.9	886	639	573
Latest 6 Mths.,1957	8.42	140.9	25.0	447	301	500
Same 6 Mths.,1956	11.71	156.0	34.0	499	337	341
Latest 3 Mths.,1957	4.14	70.4	14.5	217	151	286
Same 3 Mths.,1956	5.66	77.4	17.2	241	152	178
Month, 1956 October	2.23	28.4	5.12	90.0	57.8	59.8
November	2.02	25.8	5.80	85.1	49.9	59.0
December	1.41	23.2	6.30	65.9	43.8	59.2
1957 January	0.73	13.9	4.02	53.3	35.8	29.2
February	1.96	18.4	5.23	76.6	50.3	47.6
March	1.36	21.4	3.42	66.9	59.9	27.4
April	1.24	16.9	3.04	62.1	51.9	24.3
May ..	1.76	21.3	4.61	69.8	57.8	50.6
June ..	1.47	17.3	3.65	57.6	46.2	52.3
July ..	1.44	23.0	3.86	73.1	46.7	57.0
August	1.30	25.0	3.67	76.3	50.1	76.8
September	1.54	22.5	3.05	80.6	53.2	79.9
October	1.24	26.0	3.21	80.7	59.2	93.3
November	1.58	22.3	4.88	78.1	54.4	106.0
December	1.32	22.1	6.37	58.5	37.7	86.7

Period	MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING (CIVILIAN DAY WEAR)						
	Sports Coats - Men's & Youths'	Blazers		Overalls		Overcoats & Raincoats	
		Men's & Youths'	Boys'	Men's & Youths'	Boys'	Men's & Youths'	Boys'
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
Year : 1938-39 ..	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1948-49 ..	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1954-55 ..	296	20.0	40.9	632	243	163	93.8
1955-56 ..	285	19.3	31.3	690	169	154	78.5
1956-57 ..	265	26.2	28.2	710	84	151	81.3
Latest 6 Mths., 1957	156	18.1	12.9	445	(a)	29.2	15.8
Same 6 Mths., 1956	178	13.7	14.5	366	(a)	39.1	20.8
Latest 3 Mths., 1957	73	10.0	6.8	234	35.7	10.8	7.9
Same 3 Mths., 1956	84	8.2	6.8	179	(a)	14.6	11.4
Month, 1956 October	35.0	2.96	2.43	63.9	(a)	3.6	2.65
November	30.9	2.91	1.78	56.1	14.59	4.0	2.80
December	18.0	2.38	2.63	59.5	11.28	7.0	5.92
1957 January	9.1	1.43	1.63	37.2	(a)	11.4	7.45
February	15.8	2.36	2.44	61.3	5.87	21.2	9.78
March	15.9	1.83	1.72	58.0	9.80	19.6	14.42
April	11.7	1.92	1.56	55.6	5.73	21.4	11.69
May ..	16.9	2.70	3.27	65.6	5.99	22.8	10.08
June ..	17.8	2.22	3.07	66.2	9.44	15.5	7.09
July ..	23.4	2.34	1.16	66.5	(a)	8.0	4.00
August	27.0	2.48	2.11	68.6	(a)	6.1	1.47
September	32.3	3.30	2.78	76.3	5.00	4.3	2.50
October	27.8	3.17	1.85	77.3	4.26	4.5	1.33
November	27.7	3.24	2.10	88.0	18.43	3.0	2.85
December	17.6	3.55	2.87	68.6	12.97	3.3	3.68

(a) Not available for publication.

P e r i o d	GLOVES (NOT RUBBER)			FOOTWEAR (NOT RUBBER)		
	Dress		Work	Boots and Shoes	Sandals	Slippers
	Leather	Other				
	doz. prs.	doz. prs.	doz. prs.	'000 prs.	'000 prs.	'000 prs.
Year : 1938-39 ...	929	n.a.	n.a.	7,464		4,218
1948-49 ...	31,262	21,458	15,707	7,324	776	4,549
1954-55 ...	5,960	35,238	26,257	8,751	682	4,291
1955-56 ...	3,602	32,113	31,575	8,909	598	4,872
1956-57 ...	3,624	43,885	29,288	9,378	712	5,014
Latest 6 Months 1957	1,643	29,305	14,863	5,062	599	2,538
Same 6 Months 1956	1,341	20,687	16,197	4,928	571	2,386
Latest 3 Months 1957	658	14,188	7,160	2,520	307	1,272
Same 3 Months 1956	764	11,115	7,683	2,343	300	1,250
Month, 1956 October	372	3,697	3,050	950	123.8	457
November	267	4,712	2,873	804	103.6	416
December	125	2,706	1,760	589	72.6	377
1957 January	86	2,474	1,632	523	18.1	268
February	496	3,836	2,170	731	12.5	479
March ...	419	4,381	2,274	767	12.1	437
April ...	359	4,229	1,870	781	18.8	479
May ...	464	4,627	2,924	881	36.6	538
June ...	459	3,651	2,021	767	42.6	496
July ...	407	4,115	2,520	842	80.3	426
August ..	303	5,641	2,573	843	103.4	418
September	275	5,361	2,610	857	108.0	422
October .	231	5,275	2,654	973	110.0	431
November	290	5,650	2,594	894	120.0	479
December	137	3,263	1,912	653	77.3	362

HIDES & SKINS USED IN TANNERIES

P e r i o d	CATTLE HIDES			Calf Skins	Sheepskins (including Pelts)
	Yearlings	Light	Heavy		
		(Up to 45 lb.)	(45 lb. & over)		
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000 doz.
Year : 1938-39 ...		793.00		378.0	64.33
1948-49 ...		1027.00		537.0	69.50
1954-55 ...		1158.14		481.4	35.74
1955-56 ...	45.76	562.85	463.66	372.3	42.28
1956-57 ...	40.08	494.43	476.55	282.9	37.96
Latest 6 Months 1957	23.67	267.03	210.23	177.33	17.26
Same 6 Months 1956	16.29	233.88	236.97	150.23	20.96
Latest 3 Months 1957	12.70	117.44	106.04	87.02	8.18
Same 3 Months 1956	6.42	103.61	100.63	59.81	11.36
Month, 1956 October	2.86	39.87	47.25	26.17	4.35
November	1.15	37.09	36.63	24.91	4.04
December	2.41	26.65	25.75	8.73	2.97
1957 January	2.73	36.77	35.57	17.05	3.34
February	4.29	41.04	37.76	20.94	3.50
March ...	4.91	42.72	38.72	20.14	3.16
April ...	3.85	38.94	38.93	24.37	2.36
May ...	4.36	53.60	45.05	29.65	2.50
June ...	3.65	47.48	43.55	32.57	2.13
July ...	3.23	56.02	49.21	27.75	3.16
August ..	4.69	49.59	41.82	32.01	2.93
September	3.05	43.98	43.21	30.55	2.99
October .	3.75	46.98	45.23	31.92	3.23
November	5.45	41.67	35.14	33.46	3.21
December	3.50	28.79	25.67	21.64	1.74

Period	M E A T					
	Beef & Veal	Lamb	Mutton	Pork	Bacon & Ham	Total (In terms of fresh meat)
	'000 tons	'000 tons	'000 tons	'000 tons	'000 tons	'000 tons
Year : 1938-39 ...	114.0	58.69	77.44	10.76	7.37	271.94
1948-49 ...	118.0	53.00	61.80	8.60	10.20	255.30
1954-55 ...	137.0	61.67	89.32	10.56	8.25	309.77
1955-56 ...	136.9	59.22	82.15	11.05	7.77	299.87
1956-57 ...	155.0	53.09	72.55	10.80	7.45	301.53
Latest 6 Months 1957	82.2	36.81	49.81	6.37	4.21	180.87
Same 6 Months 1956	74.2	29.43	30.48	5.36	4.28	145.31
Latest 3 Months 1957	40.5	26.28	31.15	3.84	2.37	104.99
Same 3 Months 1956	38.0	20.20	17.47	3.08	2.66	82.41
Month, 1956 October	12.7	4.19	5.05	0.88	0.67	23.76
November	13.3	7.06	5.89	0.87	0.97	28.43
December	12.0	8.95	6.53	1.33	1.02	30.22
1957 January	12.7	4.89	7.74	0.91	0.39	26.72
February	12.6	3.69	7.55	0.89	0.47	25.38
March ..	13.7	3.71	7.14	0.94	0.47	26.12
April ..	13.0	3.28	6.40	1.00	0.62	24.51
May ...	15.0	4.22	6.74	0.90	0.59	27.62
June ...	13.8	3.86	6.51	0.80	0.63	25.86
July ...	14.4	3.25	5.77	0.93	0.70	25.33
August .	13.8	3.30	5.31	0.80	0.58	23.97
September	13.5	3.98	7.58	0.80	0.56	26.58
October	14.1	6.94	10.29	1.03	0.75	33.39
November	13.5	10.16	10.42	1.09	0.72	36.14
December	12.9	9.18	10.44	1.72	0.90	35.46

Period	WHEAT PRODUCTS			Butter (a)	Cheese (a)	Margarine- Other than Table
	Flour	Bran	Pollard			
	'000 short tons	'000 short tons	'000 short tons	'000 tons	'000 tons	cwt.
Year : 1938-39 ...	436.8	95.24	90.18	56.62	8.64	64,830
1948-49 ...	479.3	98.88	98.66	60.40	18.35	70,495
1954-55 ...	452.5	85.44	89.48	79.51	20.21	50,870
1955-56 ...	451.5	85.46	94.94	90.67	13.94	57,123
1956-57 ...	500.3	88.52	109.24	88.57	20.20	74,602
Latest 6 Months 1957	269.8	45.86	57.05	56.76	9.37	38,304
Same 6 Months 1956	261.0	46.95	57.34	58.50	13.28	40,677
Latest 3 Months 1957	139.2	23.85	28.72	38.16	6.01	20,672
Same 3 Months 1956	131.4	23.48	28.96	38.33	9.09	18,299
Month, 1956 October	43.5	7.64	9.54	12.87	3.06	5,458
November	43.5	7.70	9.80	13.07	3.11	6,598
December	44.4	8.14	9.62	12.39	2.92	6,243
1957 January	43.7	7.90	9.90	9.80	2.08	3,814
February	39.1	6.97	8.59	6.42	1.43	5,672
March ..	40.9	7.10	8.82	5.13	1.39	6,339
April ..	31.6	5.31	6.78	3.93	0.98	6,027
May ...	43.6	7.40	9.26	2.72	0.60	6,369
June ...	40.4	6.90	8.55	2.07	0.45	5,704
July ...	45.1	7.49	9.85	3.22	0.62	6,109
August .	45.0	7.56	9.94	5.98	1.05	6,141
September	40.5	6.96	8.54	9.40	1.69	5,382
October	46.3	7.82	9.72	12.43	2.17	6,216
November	50.5	8.65	10.42	13.33	2.02	6,895
December	42.4	7.38	8.58	12.40	1.82	7,561

(a) Factory production only.

Period	PROCESSED WHOLEMILK				Oatmeal and Rolled Oats	Edible Starch	Malt
	Condensed		Powd- ered	Other			
	Sweet- ened	Unsweet- ened					
	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 cwt.	'000 cwt.	'000 bushels
Year : 1938-39 ...		24,063	21,443	n.a.	141.4	n.a.	2,425
1948-49 ...		82,105	30,225	15,954	194.9	90.2	3,271
1954-55 ...	60,792	17,860	24,870	24,354	111.3	109.8	5,143
1955-56 ...	69,945	20,822	24,839	25,321	102.3	119.0	5,338
1956-57 ...	77,412	21,461	23,893	24,350	131.9	135.6	5,619
Latest 6 Mths.,1957	48,500	(a)	16,264	13,594	24.7	67.3	3,002
Same 6 Mths.,1956	52,063	(a)	15,788	13,593	34.7	70.7	2,728
Latest 3 Mths.,1957	33,342	(a)	10,118	7,929	7.4	34.1	1,497
Same 3 Mths.,1956	36,670	(a)	9,218	7,406	11.6	34.5	1,346
Month, 1956 October	12,868	2,688	3,324	2,675	5.0	12.7	477
November	12,699	(a)	3,061	2,397	4.7	12.8	486
December	11,103	(a)	2,833	2,334	1.9	9.0	383
1957 January	10,050	1,889	2,004	2,350	9.1	8.2	462
February	5,290	(a)	1,578	2,538	6.5	11.8	447
March	3,215	2,384	1,576	1,992	11.6	12.2	508
April	3,262	(a)	1,156	1,492	19.4	10.7	502
May ...	2,371	(a)	835	1,084	25.6	11.6	493
June ...	1,161	(a)	955	1,300	15.1	10.4	478
July ...	2,401	(a)	1,075	1,569	6.8	11.5	519
August	5,062	(a)	1,956	1,754	6.6	11.8	500
September	7,695	(a)	3,115	2,342	3.9	9.9	486
October	11,280	(a)	3,606	2,689	2.9	12.1	501
November	11,974	3,967	3,424	2,408	3.0	12.9	505
December	10,088	(a)	3,088	2,832	1.5	9.1	491

Period	CANNED FRUIT & VEGETABLES				Tomato Juice	Tomato Sauce	Tomato Soup
	Apricots, Peaches, Pears (b)	Green Peas	Tomatoes	Other Vege- tables			
	Mill. lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 gallons	'000 gallons	'000 gallons
Year : 1938-39 ...	89.92	(c) 961	1,185	(d) 2,809	n.a.	1,059	560
1948-49 ...	85.71	4,110	2,740	13,710	1,274	1,664	2,747
1954-55 ...	161.54	3,175	983	15,242	831	1,392	2,083
1955-56 ...	123.89	6,076	1,514	23,481	725	1,373	2,444
1956-57 ...	112.43	8,674	6,739	26,591	725	1,821	3,441
Latest 6 Mths., 1957	Comparable	7,248	..	10,767	(a)	429	(a)
Same 6 Mths., 1956	figures	(a)	..	14,435	..	699	(a)
Latest 3 Mths., 1957	not	7,248	..	5,555	(a)	240	(a)
Same 3 Mths., 1956	available	(a)	..	7,434	..	318	(a)
Month, 1956 October	..	(a)	..	2,442	..	150	(a)
November	..	1,753	..	2,707	..	86	(a)
December	..	3,541	..	2,285	..	82	(a)
1957 January	6.57	2,415	287	1,730	28	54	(a)
February	26.33	607	1,249	2,139	232	247	655
March	48.07	230	2,888	1,702	369	345	1,135
April	33.76	(a)	2,074	1,969	78	252	649
May ...	6.70	(a)	241	2,550	18	162	129
June ...	..	(a)	..	2,066	..	61	23
July ...	..	..	..	2,202	..	81	64
August	..	..	..	2,044	..	47	88
September	(a)	..	..	966	..	61	75
October	..	..	..	2,056	..	97	(a)
November	..	2,049	..	2,152	..	77	(a)
December	0.41	5,199	..	1,347	(a)	66	(a)

(a) Not available for publication.

(b) From July 1954 to December 1956 includes Tasmanian production.

(c) Includes mint-processed peas.

(d) Excludes mint-processed peas.

P e r i o d	Ice Cream	Biscuits	Confectionery		Jam, (inc. Conserves, Fruit Spreads, etc.)(a)	Beer (b)	Tobacco, Cigars, Cigar- ettes (c)
			Chocolate or con- taining Chocolate	Other			
	'000 gallons	Mill. lb.	Mill. lb.	Mill. lb.	Mill. lb.	Mill. gallons	Mill. lb.
Year : 1938-39 ...	1,066	20.36	13.45	19.07	49.57	31.45	(d) 7.61
1948-49 ...	3,874	32.13	21.48	22.35	75.77	43.95	9.75
1954-55 ...	4,362	41.71	21.51	30.61	43.27	68.09	13.75
1955-56 ...	4,396	42.75	23.56	32.50	41.69	71.59	14.00
1956-57 ...	3,608	44.78	26.46	35.13	41.37	67.61	14.46
Latest 6 Months 1957	1,816	24.80	12.43	19.25	16.19	35.63	7.89
Same 6 Months 1956	1,842	22.79	12.91	18.27	15.95	35.69	7.07
Latest 3 Months 1957	1,189	12.49	5.23	9.38	7.52	19.49	4.26
Same 3 Months 1956	1,113	11.47	5.41	8.96	7.04	19.80	3.70
Month, 1956 October	324	4.15	2.07	3.29	2.89	6.50	1.28
November	344	4.21	1.83	3.17	2.25	6.33	1.25
December	445	3.11	1.51	2.50	1.90	6.97	1.17
1957 January	554	3.09	1.39	2.20	6.65	6.15	1.27
February	389	3.98	1.92	2.91	4.38	5.14	1.30
March ..	320	3.76	2.33	3.00	3.59	5.80	1.20
April ..	194	3.48	2.44	2.67	2.61	5.21	1.16
May ...	162	4.57	2.98	3.40	4.68	4.79	1.38
June ...	146	3.12	2.50	2.68	3.51	4.84	1.08
July ...	151	4.06	2.63	3.11	2.91	5.05	1.26
August .	188	4.36	2.43	3.37	2.80	4.92	1.20
September	288	3.89	2.14	3.39	2.96	6.17	1.17
October	311	4.85	2.08	3.68	3.04	6.23	1.40
November	395	3.98	1.78	3.20	2.24	6.34	1.39
December	483	3.66	1.37	2.50	2.24	6.92	1.47

(a) Prior to January 1957 includes Tasmanian production.

(b) From 1955/56 onwards represents quantity produced (incl. waste) as recorded by Department of Customs and Excise.

(c) From 1954/55 onwards represents quantity upon which Excise Duty was paid.

(d) Includes small quantity of cigarettes produced in W.A.